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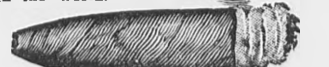
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ABOUT TOWN.



Cutter Woodbury has completed her repairs at Bucksport.

Jonas Davis is making improvements about his premises, Thomaston road.

Rockland enjoyed a nice little hurricane and thunder storm Wednesday night.

W. H. Glover & Co. have a crew of men in Thomaston erecting a new building.

The Democrats of this city have received a handsome campaign flag which will swing to the breeze soon.

Gorton's Minstrels gave a very fair entertainment here Thursday evening. The band, as usual, was small but very fine.

The sleepers have been distributed along the line of the Lime Rock R. R. and the first switch and a portion of the rails laid.

Enoch C. Bridges has bought the Mathew Davis house on Perry street, North-end, and will move in after making a few repairs.

The afternoon accommodation train between this city and Thomaston, is doing a fair business. It is a great favor to Thomaston men who do business in this city.

A delegation of Knox Lodge, I. O. O. F., went down to St. George in Berry Bros. big barge, Wednesday, to attend the funeral of George Robinson, one of their number.

The inspectors of work-shops, factories, etc., of the United States will meet in the city council rooms, Boston, beginning Aug. 8th. Deputy Labor Commissioner Campbell of this city will attend.

A lady has been about town getting subscriptions for a chapel at Seal Harbor. We understand that she had excellent success. 'Tis a worthy object and we hope to see it accomplished.

The M. E. Sunday School had a party of about 150, Wednesday, on their trip to Easter's Cove. They were towed down there in the fine schooner Martha Inis, Capt. Hunt. They had a very pleasant time.

A rearing plunging horse on Main street, Wednesday, and a flying bit of paper called attention to the paper nuisance, which though abated is not entirely done away with. Keep loose paper out of the streets!

The new hotel at Easter's Cove looms up across our beautiful bay. When completed what a nice place 'twill be for our people to visit: an afternoon, take tea there and steam back by moonlight in the Gracia.

G. F. Kaler & Co. are very busy at their mill, Sea street. They are turning out a great many fancy mouldings. We saw some very handsome ash doors manufactured there, and a fine fire-place for the new house of R. Anson Crie.

The Catholic excursion, to Damariscotta, Wednesday, was attended and enjoyed by about 600 people. It was a quiet, orderly and thoroughly enjoyable occasion and Rev. Fr. Phelan is to be congratulated on the success of the first outing under his management.

The Ellsworth American's Bluehill correspondent says: "Steamer Bluehill is doing a big business. Capt. Crockett is as genial and popular as ever, Purser Voss as polite and accommodating and Engineer Shaw will entertain you in his pleasing manner, by the hour at a time."

Bangor Whig: "Master Eddie C. Ingraham son of Capt. Ingraham, of the steamer Penobscot, drives a goat team, which gives the little fellow lots of amusement and is a sight of interest to all who see the turnout. He passed Saturday and Sunday in this city, and returned to Rockland on Monday."

A grand mass meeting will be held at Peak's Island, Portland Harbor, Thursday, the 20th inst., under the auspices of the Knights of Honor of Maine. A special train will be run from this city, fare for the round trip only \$2. A lithograph of Peak's Island can be seen in the window of Spear, May & Stover. 'Tis a beautiful place.

A road is being constructed from the Owl's head shore to the main road, through the land of J. Fred Merrill, just this side of the Easter's Cove resort. Mr. Merrill has about 25 acres of valuable land there with groves, handsome cottage sites, etc. He has had photographs of the place taken the past week.

George N. McGregor is doing a great work of improvement about the premises of A. I. Mather. The brook which traverses his grounds has been straightened and paved, and the banks neatly sodded. Mrs. Mather has without doubt the finest collection of rare roses in this country, including La France, Jacks, Moss, La Reine, Basalt and other varieties. She has had an innumerable quantity this summer and others are just budding.

A portion of the Bildeford orchestra and choir, which furnished music at St. David's church Sunday of last week, stopped in this city until Wednesday accompanying the Catholic excursion on that day to Damariscotta. They were much pleased with Rockland and its surroundings. They were all gentlemen and ladies and won many friends here. We hope to have another visit from them in the near future.

AT ONCE.

A New Business for Warren—What They'll Do.

S. W. McLoon and A. A. Stover of this city, who own the Buxton limestone quarry at Warren, have just purchased five acres of land west of Warren depot, and will put up one patent kiln there at once. A spur track from the K. & L. will probably run through their shed. A crew will be put to work immediately on the ground, clearing away, and another crew set to work in the quarry.

PERSONAL POINTS.

H. C. Chapman was in Bangor last week.

Miss May Dermot is home from New York.

Richard Rankin of Boston has been in town.

Miss Minnie White of Bath is visiting in this city.

Mrs. C. R. Cole has been visiting in Ellsworth.

Revenue Collector Kimball was in the city Thursday.

H. P. White and wife of Farmington are visiting in Belfast.

Miss Jennie Weeks returned Thursday from her visit to Waterville.

Fred S. Walls and wife of Vinalhaven have been visiting in Seamsmont.

John T. Berry and wife were in Bangor last week, the guests of H. A. Williams, esq.

Ernest Holman of Waterville is visiting his parents, Rev. W. O. Holman and wife. Ingraham's Hill.

John A. Tolman and wife of Chicago and Mrs. R. Y. Crie of this city have been visiting in Waldoboro.

Ralph Loring, Harry Mather and George Spear have been camping near the old battery, on the Owl's Head shore.

Wm. Moore of this city assisted Rev. P. A. Smith in his meetings at South Cushing and North Waldoboro last week.

Henry Trowbridge, esq., who has been east for a month, left Thomaston by early train Thursday, en route for his home in Denver, Col.

Mrs. Dr. Main of Jackson, Me., is visiting her brother, Dr. Benj. Williams, this city, and Mrs. George R. Lancaster, Bangor, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Williams.

Otis L. Dow died very suddenly in this city, Tuesday. Mr. Dow was a former resident of this city, but for the past few years has made his home with his son Byron of Warren. A month or so ago he came to this city to reside with his daughter, Mrs. F. H. Berry. Although 89 years of age he has enjoyed the best of health and was a vigorous, hale old gentleman, Tuesday he had just taken his seat in a carriage for the purpose of taking a ride when he fell over, dead. The funeral occurred Thursday at the residence of F. H. Berry and wife, Summer street. Mr. Dow leaves three sons, Byron J. Dow of Warren, W. W. Dow of Council Grove, Kansas, and Edwin Dow, also a resident of the west, Mrs. Berry being the only daughter. Deceased was a man highly respected by all.

Railroad Commissioner Mortland and wife arrived home Wednesday evening from a trip up the Green Mountain Railway, Bar Harbor, the R. R. commissioners making their semi-annual inspection. Quite a pleasant party accompanied them and an elegant lunch was served on the steamer Sappho when she crossed the bay. It was a perfect day on the mountain and no better one could have been chosen. A party of Bangor young ladies who are at South West Harbor came over and joined the party so that there were about twenty-five young ladies and several gentlemen. A superb dinner was served at the Green Mountain House and the road was thoroughly inspected. The return trip was made in the afternoon. Commissioner Bowers and his wife stopped at Ellsworth to visit Col. C. C. Burdell, but Commissioners Wildes and Mortland with their wives went up to Bangor and were the guests of Mr. Clergue Tuesday night, leaving for home the next morning. Steamboat Inspectors Staples and Flowers were with the party Tuesday. They were all greatly pleased with the hospitalities extended by the Green Mountain Railway people.

THAT PICTURE.

Something of Its History—A Gift to the Post.

Last week we published an item about a picture of the old Fourth Maine Camp near Fort Lyons, Va., which was on exhibition in the window of Spear, May & Stover. It seems there is quite a story connected with that picture. In 1862 Gen. Berry, who was in command of the Fourth Maine, then camped near Fort Lyons, was presented by the officers with an elegant silver service as a token of the esteem in which he was held. Before presenting the service those who had the matter in charge had the camp photographed, and then engraved, from the photograph, on the silver which accompanied the set. From this photograph Thomas McLoon of this city has taken the large picture now on exhibition and the firm of McLoon & Crockett have presented it in its fine frame to the Post.

A GOOD EXAMPLE.

Let Us Follow Suit and See What Will Come of It.

The city of Harrisburg, Penn., believes in advertising. In the Boston Boot and Shoe Recorder the Harrisburg Board of Trade has a page advertisement enumerating the many advantages Harrisburg possesses, the inducements it offers to business enterprises, and closes as follows:

Harrisburg, invites and encourages capitalists. Manufacturers who feel the need of better facilities should communicate with E. Mather, esq., Secretary Harrisburg Board of Trade, who will send a map showing the city as a railroad center and the towns reached in a radius of 200 miles, also a copy of the last publication of the Board of Trade, showing the resources and industries of Harrisburg.

WAY OFF.

The Bangor Commercial makes a serious mistake when it publishes the following: "There were only 36 scholars in attendance at the Rockland High School the term that has just closed, of which number 24 were girls, and 12 boys." Rockland's High School has something more than 100 pupils. The figures above given refer to the South Thomaston High School.

MORE REMINISCENCE.

Old Times in Rockland—Eaton is Appealed To

MR. EDITOR:—Having a few more recollections of Rockland's early fire department, or as I should have said want of a fire department, will you please allow me a little more space in your widely read and excellent paper. In your issue of June 5th I noticed with pleasure a communication from a former worthy resident of Rockland, whose writings I am ever pleased to peruse, and especially so as he is very accurate, has a retentive memory, and a large fund of knowledge from which to draw, and when he puts anything on paper it may nearly always be accepted as the bottom facts. I with him remember the worthy foremen of the old Boston and Resolution engines, and some of their contests for the mastery, but I have not the least recollection of either of these engines doing or attempting to do any service at the great fire of May 22nd, 1863. After reading the communication of your correspondent, I thought his memory might be more retentive than mine and that probably he was correct in relation to our engines, etc., and of our having two at the time of that fire, but on second thought I concluded I would see what Mr. Eaton said of the matter in his history of Rockland, so turning to Vol. 2, page 16, I find after giving details of the great fire he says: "The lack of water in the hydrants from its having been shut off a few days before, and the tide being out, together with a want of engines, the only one in town not being in good working condition, and the two new ones ordered not having yet arrived." The above quotation plainly shows that Mr. Eaton in his researches found we had only one engine at the time of the great fire, and probably he obtained his information from the most reliable sources. Your correspondent says of one of our old engines "that it was frequently becoming disabled in some of its parts." On that point I fully coincide with him. I think the truth is those old engines had done their work, and were so far from being in good repair both in their outer and internal parts as to be at that time past being rejuvenated, or useful in their former usefulness. I have no recollection or means of knowing positively what became of those old engines, but I think I have some dim remembrance that our former, and for all I know our only city crier, who used to be met frequently upon our streets with the letters "P. K." conspicuously displayed on his hat, had in his possession the wheels of one of those old engines, but he, like the machines, is gone, peace to his ashes. For what purpose he used those wheels if he had them my memory does not recall.

Your correspondent, and also Mr. Eaton, says that had the new engines arrived sooner the great fire might have been averted. Possibly that might have been the case, but I have serious doubts on that point. Let us see what were the facts in the case. We all agree that we had no engines that could be of any service, that the water was shut off, the tide was out, and I may add we had no reservoir and only here and there a small well containing only water sufficient to last an engine a very short time, and lastly there was a smart breeze which sent the fire from building to building with fearful velocity which it appears to me the most powerful engines would be unable to prevent, especially with little or no water. I think your correspondent is correct in stating that the Commercial House was a four-story building instead of three as I had it in a former article. I think it pleasant and profitable from time to time to revive in our minds the long ago and bring to our remembrance events of earlier days upon various matters of interest especially to the older class of our citizens.

MORE ANON.

THE SUNNY SOUTH.

Something About Fruits and Prices.—
A Yankee in the South.

POMONA, GA.

MR. EDITOR:—In reply to a number of inquiries from your section, I will try to give some true statements of this country as it is. The crop prospects are very flattering. The fruit crop is beyond all precedent this year. Our list covers everything except the citrus family. The fruits grown here are apples, pears, plums, peaches, grapes, strawberries, raspberries, dewberries and blackberries. Our fruits are shipped to the east and west and command the best prices. Our grape harvest is now upon us and will be the largest ever known. Grapes are shipped from here by the car-load. I wish some of my friends from Maine could be here and see for themselves the advantages over the cold north. Tourists and home seekers should stop at Pomona and from there prospect the country, sample the fruits and eat big watermelons.

The strawberry season opens here about the 16th of April. Prices are good, from 25 cents per quart down to 5 cents. Peaches are shipped from here the 20th of May, prices from \$8 to \$9 a bushel in New York; plums June 1st, prices in New York and Washington, D. C., \$1.25 to \$1.50 per ten-pound basket. Grapes are selling now for \$1 per ten-pound basket. Of course the price of grapes will drop as soon as our big shipments open.

This is a very healthy country, pure water, clear sunny skies, and plenty of hot days and cool nights. We have a law-abiding people here. The northern fruit growers are all doing well. Still there is room for a few more good New England Yankees.

S. S. C.

FISH SCALES.

Schooner Henry Friend, of Gloucester, arrived in Portland Tuesday with 200 barrels of mackerel, the largest catch of the season.

The schooner City Point landed 25,000 pounds of cod and haddock at Portland Wednesday and small boats 10,000 pounds. About 8,000 pounds of mackerel were landed.

OUR CIRCULATION.

The regular weekly circulation of the **COURIER-GAZETTE** is 2850. This is the largest circulation attained by any paper in Knox County, and nearly all of it is in that county and in the neighboring ones of Lincoln, Waldo and Hancock. We invite the most complete investigation of our claim, and will show our edition or our books to anybody who may wish to see.

Resolutions of respect and care of thanks will be charged to the parties ordering them at the rate of five cents per line, and no charge less than fifty cents.

S. W. McLoon and A. A. Stover commenced operations at Warren yesterday.

The Odd Fellows Relief Association, for the first time in its history, has reached the twentieth assessment in one year, the extreme limit before access is had to the reserve fund.

Summer travel is setting in briskly. Our Camden man reports the cottages there full, but not as many as usual at the hotels. In this city there is a goodly representation of summer tourists. Vinalhaven reports her share, and Thomaston is full of strangers.

The Bath Independent, which is as full of enterprise as an egg is full of meat, has been giving its readers a series of tourist editions profusely illustrated with cuts of interesting and attractive points roundabout. These cuts are made expressly for the Independent by its special artist. Such enterprise must help Bath wonderfully and attract many visitors.

Editor Shorey of the Bridgton News gets right down to the foundation of things in the following editorial:

"Get-up-and-go" is what builds up a town. Courage and a general air of hopefulness, if it be genuine, will go a great way towards booming any place. A town full of young and active business men will draw money towards it just so long as their activity keeps up. We are gratified to see a revival of this energy in many of our Maine towns and we are not without hope that it may result in turning the current from West and South until Maine becomes the "storm centre" of a great cyclone of business prosperity that shall send the splinters of hard times and commercial stagnation flying into the middle of the Atlantic.

The petition of the council for Stain and Cromwell, convicted for the Dexter Bank murder, is refused, and a hearing is to be given on the petition for a new trial on the ground of alleged new evidence. An attempt was made at the hearing to break down the identification of Mrs. A. E. Miller who claimed that Stain and Cromwell boarded at her house for several days prior to the Barron tragedy in 1873. A Mrs. Miller testified she boarded with Mrs. Alonzo Miller at the time of the murder. She said she thought the two men who boarded there were from Rockport. Two drummers also stopped there but neither of the four men were Stain or Cromwell.

Thursday was a cold, fallish day, and overcoats were not a bit out of place. In the White Mountains 'twas a very severe day. Four inches of snow fell on Mount Washington and the wind blew nearly 100 miles an hour. The storm was so severe that trains on the Mount Washington railway could not run with safety there and no attempt was made to run.

W. C. T. U.

Flower Mission Day was observed at the prison Friday by the W. C. T. U. of Knox Co. They also visited the almshouse the same day, and gave bouquets to inmates.... The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will occur Friday, the 20th, at 3 p. m., in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.... The Unions of Lincoln Co. hold their county convention at Boothbay, Thursday, July 19th. Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens and Mrs. H. N. Osgood will address the meetings. One fare is offered over the K. & L. and Boothbay boats.

SCHOOL MONEY.

The State Treasurer has just completed the apportionment of the state school money to the several cities, towns and plantations in the state. Knox receives \$17,280.60 and has 9,328 pupils; Lincoln gets \$13,340.21 and has 7,587 pupils. The net loss in the number of scholars in the state for the year is 590. Six counties show a gain of 1038 as follows: Androscoggin, 426; Aristoook, 335; Hancock, 60; Penobscot, 101; Washington, 3; York, 93. Ten counties show a loss of 1,628, namely: Cumberland, 567; Franklin, 117; Kennebec, 277; Knox, 111; Lincoln, 227; Oxford, 78; Piscataquis, 81; Sagadahoc, 74; Somerset, 233; Waldo, 63. The net loss in 1887 was 259; in 1886, 550. The rate per scholar this year is one dollar seventy-five cents and eight and three-tenths mills.

REMARKABLE SHOOTING.

At the shoot of Oak Hill Gun Club, yesterday afternoon, a goodly number were present, and were given an unusual treat in witnessing the shooting of E. T. Smith of the Worcester, Mass., club. Mr. Smith with a strange gun and strange ammunition made the remarkable score of 23 clays broken out of a possible 25. He is one of the finest shots in the country, and has made the score of 64 straight, and 96 out of 100. Of the other contestants yesterday J. P. Ingraham and W. F. Norcross were tied for 2nd, and W. J. Perry 3d.

WORLD HAPPENINGS.

Sir John Henry Brand, President of the Orange Free State, is dead.

The village of Plant City, Fla., is to be burned in order to eradicate the fever germs.

Gas tanks exploded at Ludlow, Ky., on Saturday, injuring fifteen men four of them fatally.

Whitlaw Reid's country house at White Plains, N. Y., was burned on Saturday. Loss \$500,000.

The annual session of the National Prison Congress began on Saturday with a card reception to Hon. B. B. Hayes. In the evening the formal proceedings were opened, and Sunday Rev. Phillips Brooks delivered the annual sermon before the association.

The weather last week continued favorable for the growing crops, as also for the winter wheat and hay harvest, both of which are now being vigorously pushed. While complaints of injury by insects to small grain continue to be received, they do not inflict so serious injury as was feared early in the season.

MEN AND WOMEN.

Personal Paragraphs of More or Less Interest to Our Readers.

Homer Sewall is visiting in Rockport. Miss Louise Gurdy is visiting in Palermo. Rose M. Welt is visiting friends in Belfast. Nathaniel Jones went to Bangor yesterday. Miss Mattie Johnston is visiting in Appleton.

Walter A. Baron of Bar Harbor is in the city. C. M. Harrington is at Seabrook for a week.

Dr. H. P. Fairfield lectured in Philadelphia, Sunday. Milton Priest of Belfast is visiting friends in this city.

Elliot Tolman of Vinalhaven is visiting J. O. Lucas.

Geoff Thomas is the guest of Miss Nellie Beverage.

Mrs. W. H. Titcomb has returned from Norridgewock.

George Allen of Boston is in the city for a fortnight's stay.

S. M. Bird returned from New York, Wednesday morning.

Mrs. W. C. Torrey and daughter Marion are at J. G. Torrey's.

Ralph Baker of the Times office, Bath, has been in this city.

Conductor Thomas Ingraham is so far improved as to ride out. Will Colby, a former Rockland boy, is in town for a few days.

Mrs. H. C. Chapman has returned from a visit in Waldoboro.

Miss Winnie E. Davis of Machias is visiting friends in town.

James D. Lazell is home from Philadelphia for a needed vacation.

Col. F. C. Knight and wife have returned from a visit to Belfast.

Wm. Marsh and wife of New York are visiting at Joseph Veazie's.

Miss Ida M. Walton of Belfast is visiting her uncle Thos. H. Bonner.

Mrs. Leonard Rhodes of Boston is at her old home on Camden street.

W. S. Kenniston and wife returned Thursday from a trip to Augusta.

W. V. Hanscom and wife have returned from their wedding trip.

Miss Bessie Morton of Rockport is the guest of Miss Minnie Drinkwater.

Miss Lucy Winslow arrived home Thursday from Gloucester, Mass.

Mrs. E. W. Pendleton is the guest of Dr. A. F. Miller and wife, Camden.

Mrs. O. G. Hall and Oliver L. Hall of Waterville are visiting in this city.

John and Alfred Black of Brooklyn and friend Mr. Stone are in the city.

George E. Hewett of Worcester, Mass., is visiting his father, at the Meadows.

C. G. Moffitt started Saturday for a trip to the Kennebec with his private team.

S. H. Webb and wife and A. H. Berry and wife have returned from South Hope.

N. B. Cobb and C. E. Forbes of Boston have returned from a trip to Bar Harbor.

Charles Smith is home from Westboro, recovering from an attack of sickness.

Miss Carrie Ingraham sends us a beautiful large bouquet of roses for our office desk.

Mrs. J. L. Martin and daughter are camping in N. B. Cobb's cottage at Ingrahamville.

Dr. H. P. Fairfield will lecture in Lincoln, Saturday and Sunday, returning Monday.

E. T. Smith and wife of Worcester, Mass., are at the residence of John Bird, Broadway.

John H. Haines, wife and son Arthur left this morning by private conveyance for Hallowell.

Mrs. Lydia H. Ulmer of East Boston arrived this morning to visit W. W. Ulmer, her son.

Miss Annie Liscomb who has been visiting in Seabrook has returned to her home in this city.

Miss Addie Alden of Ohio, formerly of this city, is the guest of W. M. Farrington and wife.

Mrs. Oscar Rice and daughter Alice of Walham, Mass., are at the residence of W. J. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rich and family of Melrose, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sewall.

Will Rawson of Boston, formerly of this city, was at Spruce Head last week, the guest of G. H. Blethen.

Mrs. Charles D. Wood and children of Winthrop are visiting Mrs. Wood's parents, A. J. Bird and wife.

Misses Emmie Metcalf, Freddie Frohock, Alida Graham and Lella Thomas are rusticated at Pulpit Harbor.

Rev. D. P. Hatch is recovering from a throat trouble and will doubtless be able to occupy his pulpit next Sabbath.

Carroll W. Clark of Boston is in the city. Mr. Clark is the contractor who furnished the new North-end school-house.

Herbert F. Kallach and wife are in this city from Newton, Mass. Mr. Kallach was formerly employed in this office.

Woodbury H. Spaulding is home from Walham, Mass., for a brief vacation accompanied by a gentleman friend.

John Smith, wife and child of Westboro, Mass., are visiting Mr. Smith's parents, Capt. R. M. Smith and wife, Park street.

Walker Smith and Miss Maud Smith of Boston, children of Capt. James Smith, formerly of this city are at W. O. Abbott's.

Mrs. Marion Piper and daughter Vinie of Charlestown, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Piper's mother, Mrs. Bernard Ulmer, Sea street.

A. A. Skinner and wife of North Washington made us a pleasant call today. Mr. Skinner is our esteemed North Washington correspondent.

W. F. Pierce of Vinalhaven, a former resident of this city, came off Saturday to attend the "Two Vagabonds." Mr. Pierce had not been in this city for three years.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Packard, and wife of Riverside, Cal., are visiting at J. B. Porter's. This is Mr. Packard's first visit to his native state since going to the Pacific slope seventeen years ago.

George Tate of Boston, a former Rockland boy, has been here the past week in yacht. He has been yachting since April and intends staying out until September.

Our marriage notices contain a pleasant bit of news. Charles S. Hall of this city and Miss Alice O. Johnson of Boston were married in Delaware, Ohio, the 7th inst. by Rev. A. K. Bachelder, pastor of the Baptist church in that place.

Mr. Hall is the son of Hiram Hall of South Thomaston. He graduated from Colburn Classical Institute in '87, and is now in the granite business in Columbus, Ohio. He is one of the most popular young men who ever went from this section. Mrs. Hall has also many friends here. She is an accomplished vocalist and a young lady whose many personal charms are only equalled by her many graces of character. Mr. and Mrs. Hall have our kindest benediction.

During the month of June the pulp mill at Great Works manufactured over 1,220,000 pounds of fine pulp. One day recently the phenomenal amount of 50,549 pounds was made during the 24 hours' run. This is a larger amount than has been produced by any other similar mill in the country, during the same period of time.

THE CHURCHES.

Owing to the continued illness of Rev. Mr. Hatch, the Congregational pulpit was supplied Sunday morning by Rev. W. A. Newcomb of Thomaston. In the evening the Congregational and First Baptist congregations held union services in the Congregational church, Rev. Mr. Roberts preaching. The services next Sunday evening will be held in the First Baptist church.

FALL OF ROCK.

Narrow Escape for the Men Who Had Been Working Beneath the Slide.

Saturday morning there was quite a fall of rock in the Company quarry at the head of Linerock street. An overhanging mass of rock had been partially blown down, the part remaining seeming stable. A few minutes before eleven and but a few minutes before 'twas time for the teams to drive under the overhanging mass to load about 700 casks of rock came down with a crash.

STEAMBOAT SPARKS

The steamboat wharf at Green's Landing has been repaired and the favorite Mt. Desert once more touches there daily, to the great satisfaction of the Green's Landing people.... Steam-er Forest City, Capt. Chas. Deering, commences Friday night to run to Machiasport.... The officers of the steamers Katahdin and Lewiston, which were out in the storm Wednesday night, report it one of the worst they have experienced for some time. There was a heavy fall of hail which broke some of the skylights and made a great noise to those below as it fell on the decks. The sea was very rough outside.... The Caroline Miller is under contract to the N. Y. Central R. R. Co. to freight ties from Fernandina for New York.

MILL BURNED.

Wednesday night, about 9:30 o'clock, the saw, shingle and stove mill of C. F. Wotton, Warren, was totally destroyed by fire. There was an insurance of \$2000 on the buildings and machinery, with Cochran & Sewall of this city.

OWL'S HEAD PARK

Is the name given to the new and attractive summer resort across our bay at Easter's Cove. A broad carriage road has been constructed from the old harbor of Owl's Head through the piney woods to the new granite wharf which the company has constructed there. The hotel, which is called the Simpson House in honor of one of the New York members of the company, will be thrown open to the public on or about August 1st. Owl's Head Park has been beautifully blessed by nature and with art to help it out can be appreciated by the public.

The Republican party is to be congratulated that the biography of Gen. Harrison, their candidate for President, will be written by Gen. Lew Wallace, the author of Ben Hur. Gen. Wallace will have the assistance of Gen. Harrison, who will give his views on matters of national interest. The book will be a finished literary product and will unquestionably be the best campaign book published, and have an immense sale.

Agents who want to make some money and do a good work for the Republican party can apply to the well known publishers, S. S. SCRANTON & CO., of Hartford, Ct., who have the work to sell by subscription.

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Men's, Boys' & Children's

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We will cut the cost to the circumstances and convince you that

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Is equal to any \$3.00 advertised shoe now in the market.

The most comfortable and stylish shoe made for Ladies' Wear is the

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We have exclusive sale for this city.

FRENCH HAND TURNS!

We have just received a line of French Made Boots for Ladies' WEAR.

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That the only place in this city where you can get the genuine

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—IS AT—

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Opp. Thorndike Hotel, ROCKLAND, - MAINE.

Lace Scrim for..... 5c

Worth 10 cents.

Satine Foulard Cambrics.. 8c

Usual price 10 cents.

A Cream White Lawn Tennis Flannel..... 25c

Worth 37 1/2 cents.

Lambrequin Poles, 25c, 35c, 50c

Holland Curtains, all complete..... 35c

Opaque Curtains, Dado Borders, all complete... 50c

The best improved Wire Screen..... 35c

Worth 50 cents.

Fruit of the Loom Remnants, 9c

Regular goods 11 cents.

5 new pieces Dress Goods, 50c

Worth \$1.00.

Navy Blue, Seal Brown, Myrtle, Green, Etc.

A SPECIAL BARGAIN.

Challie Delaines..... 10c

Wool Challies..... 17c

Ladies' Lisle Thread Gloves in colors..... 12c

Worth 25 cents

Fancy Stripe Velvets... 50c

Plain Velvets in colors... 58c

50 Crumb Cloths

Just Received at

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These Crumb Cloths are handsomely printed in colors, are 2 yds. wide and 3 yds. long—just the thing to save the carpets and to carpet summer cottages. Please call and see them.

E. B. HASTINGS

Is Selling This Week:

1 case handsome style Batiste Cloth for 8 cents per yard. Goods to be seen in South Window.

50 new pieces Challie Delaine for 10 cents per yard.

Best quality 40 inch Sheeting in Remnants from 5 to 15 yards in pieces only 75c a yard.

Turkey Red Table Linen fast colors 25 cents per yard.

25 doz. Gents Summer Undervests only 25c; worth 50c.

25 doz. Ladies' Vests only 25c.

Full line of Children's Underwear.

100 PARASOLS

Marked Down 25 Pr Cent.

Now is the time to get a Good Trade in a Parasol.

We shall close out all our

SUMMER JACKETS!

AT A GREAT DISCOUNT.

We have a nice line of them to select from.

200 PAIRS

Ladies' & Children's Hose

At about half price; this is a lot of Hose which were an importer's samples and they will be found a Great Bargain.

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NICE FEATHERS!

JUST RECEIVED.

Curtains all Colors!

Only 35 cents—ready to put up.

We shall be pleased to send samples and prices of our goods.

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Special Bargains in Heavy Drapery.

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FOLKS AND THINGS.

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For Additional Locals See First Page.

Catchy weather for haying.

A. F. Achorn has bought a horse of L. E. Wade.

J. H. Smith is digging the cellar for Willoughby Block.

J. O. Packard's new house, Rankin street, is nearing completion.

A pension has been granted Charles O. Wentworth of this city.

Get your strawberries for preserving at once. They are rapidly drying off.

The hotel at Easter's Cove will be thrown open to the public August 1st.

The sound of the stone hammer is once more heard in the Knowlton stone shed.

C. H. and G. A. Ames have each sold a horse to J. F. Fogler the past week.

A. J. Bird & Co. are having another new coal shed built on their breastwork.

Prof. A. T. Crockett is to have a stone breastwork built south of the Brown wharf.

An electric belt man and minstrel troupe are giving concerts at the foot of Limerock street.

The water motor to furnish wind for the organ in the First Baptist church is being put in.

The residents of Warren street are now connecting their drains with the Warren street sewer.

Work on the trestle along the shore at the Atlantic kilns is progressing. It's neat work and is done up brown.

E. D. Daniels of Thomaston has a half-cent of 1894 of the "Liberty Cap" variety that is reported to be very valuable.

The City Farm will yield a fine crop of hay this season. A fire escape is soon to be put on the buildings, a needed addition.

George Rhodes of South Camden is bringing into the market the finest berries we have thus far seen—Sharpless Seedlings.

Two young men were upset in a punt off Tillson's wharf Sunday, and after some brisk scrambling were rescued by another boat.

Perry Bros. received the following high loads of kiln wood by four vessels from over the line, last week: 99 1-2 cords, 97 1-2, 92 1-2 and 80.

"Beautiful weather and so cool" say the visitors to Rockland and vicinity. The country is at its best now and visitors are thoroughly enjoying themselves.

W. H. Glover & Co. are excavating the cellar for Capt. E. C. Kenniston's new house, Warren street, and will commence work on the superstructure this week.

A representative of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co. is in the city to superintend the introduction of the system here. One week from today 'twill probably be in working order.

Edwin Libby Relief Corps will hold a circle Thursday at 1 p. m., July 19th. A full attendance is requested as the Corps has taken the contract to sew for the Simpson Hotel, Easter Cove.

Mr. Burke's barn, Park street, took fire Friday evening, calling out the department, but the fire was easily extinguished. There was some little damage and no insurance. The cause of the fire is not known.

Probate court is in session today. The C-G. has the largest circulation in this county and people having probate business should hear it in mind. Our list and our books stand behind our claim.

The new block of James Donahue, corner of Main and Myrtle streets, to be occupied by the Home Furnishing Co., is to have a dandy front. 'Twill be entirely of glass affording a great chance for the display of goods.

Road Commissioner Fogg is giving Middle street a substantial granite culvert, like that put in at the crossing of Broadway and Limerock streets. This is the kind of improvement we believe in—permanent work that will last.

Thursday afternoon Rockland enjoyed a small taste of a cyclone, fruit and shade trees suffering severely. A big limb from a tree in the yard of Mrs. Lucy Snow was blown down, in its fall narrowly missing two ladies who were passing.

Our Loan & Building Association is going to do a good work in this vicinity. Parties from out of town called on the secretary last week with a view to building a home with the association's aid. The payments are coming in and new shares are being taken.

The city council committee on streets holds a hearing Aug. 2 at two p. m. to hear all who may have anything to say concerning the accepting of that portion of Summer street, west of Union, as a public way. The usual notice is given in our paper today.

"A very quiet, orderly and temperate place is the Grand View Hotel at Owl's Head," said a well-known citizen. "Mr. Small is determined to keep a temperance house, and says, and means it, that not a drop of liquor shall be sold or used on the premises. I was down there the other day, and got as nice a dinner as I ever ate. It was well served and everything was neat and nice. Mr. Small deserves to be patronized."

South Camden is the modern and more fashionable name for Clam Cove. South Camden has a Mutual Benefit Society which meets Tuesday evenings, and has developed a great deal of interest. At the last meeting more than fifty persons were present.

Conductor Rufus Rideout has been promoted from the freight to the morning passenger train out of this city, an appointment which is very pleasing to his many friends and the patrons of the road. On retiring from the freight, the two brakemen, George Glidden and George White, presented him a gold chain and charm, to sort of show how much they thought of him. Rufus bears his honors easily.

Edw. Harden of this city has been appointed engineer of the new Limerock Railroad locomotive, and Newman Shuman is to be fireman. They are experienced and capable young men having served a valuable apprenticeship on the K. & L.

The new engine is a very powerful, finely made machine and attracts much attention. The rails of the track are laid as far as the Fred Ulmer quarry.

The city undertakers report no deaths since Tuesday.

A new building is being erected on J. E. Sherman's lot near Ingraham's Point.

J. M. French has bought a gray draft horse of about 1250 pounds of Joseph Young.

Residents of Ward 7 are circulating a petition to the postmaster general asking for better mail facilities.

New York steamer Lucy Miller steamed up to the wharf at Owl's Head Park yesterday and landed freight.

Steamer Lucy P. Miller, as a portion of her freight, yesterday, brought car wheels for the Limerock R. R.

A big bunch of blotters and handy memorandum books from Cochran & Sewall's was received yesterday.

A. J. Erskine has in his orchard a pear growing on an apple tree. Mr. Erskine grafted it as an experiment.

A clerk in the employ of E. L. Yeazie, Waterville, formerly of this city, has been detected pilfering from the money drawer.

Loring is at work upon a 23-foot boat for the Rockland schooner Helen Montague, to replace the one smashed in the collision reported elsewhere.

M. E. Bean of Camden was here yesterday with his valuable Wilkes stallion Veni Vici, on his way to the trotting park where he is fitting up quarters. He will keep a string of horses there.

Capt. H. C. Chapman of the Thorndike has leased the Bangor House, Bangor, for a term of ten years. He will, however, continue in charge of the excellent Thorndike until Jan. 1st, when he is to take charge of the Bangor.

Lafayette Canton Patriarchs Millant. I. O. O. F., have decided to go to Vinhaven for their field day and Wednesday of next week will probably be the day. There will be a meeting of the Canton this evening to make the final arrangements.

A very enjoyable private dancing party was given in Harmony Hall last evening, some 40 couples participating. Meservy's Brass Quintet furnished music. Geo. Backfield prompter. After the dance Mrs. Thurlow's ice cream was enjoyed.

James & Bicknell are repairing the buildings of John Jameson, Jameson Point. This firm was also the lowest bidder on the extension of the New York S. S. Co's store-house and office, Tillson wharf. An extension 24x30 feet will be put on. The crew will commence work Wednesday.

The Bangor Whig says: "The Arbuckleian Quartet has been engaged to play at a Congregational church fair at Rockland on August 6th, and at Camden on the 7th. The people of those places cannot fail to be pleased with playing of the quartet which receives very complimentary notices wherever it is heard."

The promotion of Conductor Rideout to the morning passenger train necessitates some changes in the K. & L. force. A. W. Hodgkins becomes conductor of the freight and Warren Glidden is put in charge of the construction train. Frank Head is now engineer of the construction train, vice Edw. Harden engaged by Limerock R. R. Albert Erskine is fireman for Head. The K. & L. has a line force of employees.

A. P. and A. A. St. Clair have bought the confectionery business of J. W. Anderson and will henceforth conduct it. The elder brother, A. P. St. Clair, is well known in this city. Until quite recently he has been in business at South Hope. A. A. St. Clair has been connected with Mr. Anderson for some time and is thoroughly conversant with the business. They are enterprising, capable men, and have bought a prosperous business. They have Mr. Anderson's good will and fall heir to the large trade which the younger Mr. St. Clair has been so instrumental in working up. Success to St. Clair Bros. says THE C-G. Mr. Anderson has sold his confectionery business in order to devote his undivided attention to his cigar making business, which has assumed great proportions. This business he will continue in its old quarters, Crockett Block.

AMUSEMENTS.

The First Baptist Sunday School gives its annual excursion tomorrow at Damariscotta, going by regular train. The Congregational Sunday School participates.

The ladies of the First Baptist Circle are planning a lawn party for Wednesday evening of next week. 'Twill be held at Glen, Cilly's, and there will be music, ice cream, cake, etc.

The Bangor Opera Co. played here Saturday to a good sized audience, and gave very general satisfaction. The company was well costumed, the play was clean and the music bright and catchy.

Nahanda Tribe, I. O. R. M., contemplate an excursion to Bar Harbor next Sunday. The plan is to go to Bar Harbor, pass the day there and leave at five o'clock for Bangor, pass the night at the Bangor House and come down river the next day with Capt. Ingraham on the Penobscot. Meservy's Brass Quintet will accompany the party. Those who wish can return to Rockland direct by steamer; again Forepaugh will be in Bangor Monday, and those who wish can stop over and see the show.

FIXING UP.

The brick basement house at the foot of Crescent street, owned by Samuel Pillsbury, has been thoroughly repaired and painted....

H. S. Moore has rejuvenated his place of business with new paint.... Capt. W. P. Hawley is having repairs made about tenement houses on James street.... Charles A. Young has had his buildings painted light yellow with dark finish and green blinds.... The Crockett-Weeks house on Highland street is being reshingled and otherwise repaired.

FIFTEENTH MAINE.

The Local Sub-Committee on Reunion having in charge the arrangements for the Regimental Reunion of 1888 have designated Bangor as the place and Wednesday, Sept. 19th as the date of such reunion. The general rendezvous at Bangor will be Grand Army Hall, and 9 a. m. is fixed as the hour of meeting.

Reduced rates at the hotels and on all railroad and steamboat lines. A large attendance and an enjoyable reunion may confidently be reckoned upon.

FISH & FISHING.

S. Chase & Co., report fish of all kinds very scarce. Hine fish have been plenty, retelling at 12 cents a pound....Hake sounds took a tumble last week, dropping several cents on the pound....The fishermen at Grand Banks are not meeting with good success so far, and fish are reported to be scarce, while the prospects for quick trips are quite slim. The figures of the amount of fish already taken show very poor fishing for the time the vessels have been out....Thursday's Gloucester Breeze says: "The mackerel continue small and the fish are still smaller. The mackerel that have been received are but No. 3's and there is nothing like enough for the supply. The receipts have not been sufficient to weaken the price, but upon the whole all that have been landed have been disposed of. The price paid for large 3's yesterday, sea packed, was \$13.25; small, \$9. The latest reports are to the effect that they are getting but a few small mackerel on this coast, while the news from the Bay is no way encouraging no mackerel having been reported since schooling there yet....Close times on salmon commenced Sunday....Cape Ann fishermen are catching a few porgies and a few mackerel....A Gloucester vessel landed 15,000 pounds of halibut in Portland Friday....The following seiners were at Portland Thursday: Schs. M. S. Ayer, Paul and Essie, Edith L. Conley, Hattie Evelyn, Henry Wilson, Fannie Freeman, Ethel and Addie, and Merrimac. The sch. Farragut arrived there from Georges with 35,000 codfish. Mackerel are reported very scarce."

LATE LACONICS.

Governor Ames continues to mend.

Mr. Randall had four more hemorrhages Friday night and is very weak.

The steamer Lady of the Lake foundered on Lake Memphremagog on Thursday.

The report that the Empress dowager of Germany was a prisoner at Potsdam is contradicted.

The young Prince of Serbia was taken from his mother, Queen Natalie, in Germany, and sent back to Belgrade.

A cloud burst near Berea, West Virginia, Monday evening and swept away half a million dollars' worth of property.

In a duel Friday in the vicinity of Paris Boulanger was badly wounded in the throat and arm. Flouquet was slightly hurt.

GENERAL NEWS.

A battery of eight gas tanks in Ludlow, Ky., exploded Saturday afternoon, injuring fifteen men, four fatally. Gas is generated from naphtha for lighting the railroad shops and for use in the Mann boudoir cars. The escape of a small quantity from the tank caused an explosion which exploded the other seven, and the stock room of the Mann Boudoir Company was wrecked.

Bowles, the man in the Burlington conspiracy case against whom the testimony given in Chicago was most conclusive, has, it is stated, made a full confession of his share in the conspiracy. Another of the arrested men, Gould, it is said, also concluded to come into camp. The case of Chairman Hoge and Murphy, which was to have come up Saturday morning, was postponed for a week.

Lawyer Barker was in Winthrop Saturday after a confession made in Norridgewood jail by Charles Stain, who wrote out the particulars of the Winthrop Bank robbery. The language is the same as the confession regarding the Dexter affair. The steamer Star of the East, the horse Flora, etc., are mentioned, and the report is that inasmuch as the Winthrop people would not accept it, the whole thing was made over to fit the Dexter case. It is now said that the Stain-Cronwell case cannot be prepared in time for a hearing before the full court at Portland this term, in which case it will go to the June term next year. If a new trial is granted, it will call in a new County Attorney, who will take the place of Mr. Appleton, and possibly a new Attorney General.

J. Donahue & Co. have arranged to give our readers a list of the greatest bargains ever offered in the grocery line. See their ad next week.

PIANOS TUNED.

J. W. Walker, the Piano Man, is now in Thomaston and will be in this city in a few days.

Messrs. Raymond & Whitcomb's August Excursions.

As a supplement to their seventeen July excursions, Messrs. Raymond & Whitcomb announce six attractive tours for August, a month when the greatest number of vacation tourists are on the move. A party will leave Boston August 6, for a trip to New York, up the Hudson, and to Saratoga, Lake George, Lake Champlain, and Ausable Chasm. Three parties depart on the 11th—one for the Hudson River, Trenton Falls, the Thousand Islands, the St. Lawrence River, Montreal, Quebec, and Lake Memphremagog, and the two others for March Chute, Watkins Glen, Niagara Falls, and other points of interest. Descriptive circulars may be obtained of W. Raymond, 266 Washington street, opposite School street, Boston. When the same are to be sent by mail, applicants should designate whether the Yellowstone National Park circular, the Colorado tour or the book of "Six August trips" is desired.

RED LETTER DAY.

Fuller & Cuth have another lot of those sample lace curtains. Day of sale will be announced.

JEWELRY STOCK AT COST.

My cost sale still continues and positively must continue. Come and get something even if you keep it for a present to be given next Christmas. You will save money by so doing for I shall sell at almost your own price. Just think of it, first-class jewelry and ware actually and honestly for less than cost.

ICE CREAM.

Mrs. W. R. Mills' ice cream rooms at Jameson Point are now open for the season. Cream furnished for parties and families in large or small quantities. Pure cream and the best flavorings used.

VOTE OF THANKS.

The members of Gen. Berry House Co. wish hereby to extend their thanks to Hon. John T. Berry for the beautiful gift which adorns the front of their quarters, and will try by prompt attention to the call of duty to honor the name it bears.

For the members of the company, J. M. JACKSON, Clerk.

Births.

Mr. IVRON—Rockland, July 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney McIntosh, a son.
KNIGHT—Rockland, July 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knight, a son.
AVERS—Rockland, July 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ames, a daughter.
FERRY—Rockland, July 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F. Ferry, a daughter.
CARROLL—Rockland, July 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Silas Carroll, a son.
HALL—Waterville, July 10, to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hall, a daughter.
STRAW—Appleton, July 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Straw, a son.

Marriages.

TITUS—Woon—Rockland, July 11, by Rev. C. S. C. and W. Titus and Fannie H. Woon, both of Rockland.
COTLAND—LYCH—Appleton, July 4, Chester P. Cotland and Ellen Lych, both of Appleton.
YOUNG—BAYRAGE—Bar Harbor, June 27, Wm. McK. Young of Bar Harbor, and Mercy R. Bayrage of Rockland.
WILSON—CARTY—Rockport, July 2, Warren P. Wilson of Rockport, and Nellie C. Carty of Rockport.
JOHNSON—DELAWARE, O., July 7, by Rev. A. K. Butterfield, Chas. R. Hall of Columbia, O., and Alice O. Johnson of Boston, Mass.
FICKETT—FICKETT—Providence, R. I., July 10, Capt. Ellis E. Fickett of Providence, formerly of Tomant's Harbor, and Georgie Fickett of Boston, Mass.

Deaths.

Dow—Rockland, July 10, Otis L. Dow, aged 59 years, 8 months, 2 days.
ROBINSON—St. George, July 10, George B. Robinson, aged 35 years, 2 months, 15 days.
FRONCK—Lincolnton, July 1, Harriet N. Fronck, aged 1 month.
FERRY—Pigeon Cove, Mass., July 1, Charles A. L., son of Stephen A. and Lydia A. L. Ferry, formerly of this city, aged 18 years.
RICKS—Camden, July 15, James, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rick, aged 65 years, 6 months, 8 days.

GIRL WANTED.

Girl wanted for general house work. Apply to MRS. FRED C. HALL, No. 7 Ocean St., Rockland.

PANTS MAKERS WANTED. Eight or ten Pants Makers wanted by the Seaport Manufacturing Co. Inquire at F. S. PORTER'S LAUNDRY, Opposite Farwell Hall.

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PETITION AND NOTICE.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Rockland:

The undersigned respectfully petition your honorable body to lay out, accept and cause to be built a public street, which will be a continuation of Summer Street from the point where it becomes a private way, at or near the brook, to Lincoln street, and as in and to the public convenience requires said street to be laid out as prayed for.

H. W. WIGHT AND FIVE OTHERS.

NOTICE.

On the foregoing petition we, the joint standing committee of the City Council of Rockland, whose duty it is to lay out, accept, and cause to be built any street or way in the city of Rockland, hereby give notice that we will meet all parties interested in the subject matter of said petition on the premises described in said petition on Thursday, August 2, 1888, at 2 o'clock P. M., and give them a full hearing upon the same before we determine and cause to be laid out the public convenience requires said street to be laid out as prayed for.

JOHN P. PEIRY, Committee on Street.

GEORGE W. MCKENNEY, 1 Street.

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All Traveling Expenses Included.

SIX AUGUST TOURS.

Parties will leave Boston on the following dates for excursions to the leading summer resorts of New England, Canada and the Middle States:

Monday, August 6—Hudson River, Saratoga, Lake George, Lake Champlain, Ausable Chasm, Rutland, Vt., Etc.

Tuesday, August 14—Hudson River, Albany, Trenton Falls, the Thousand Islands, St. Lawrence River and Rapids, Montreal, Quebec, the Fabry House, White Mountain Notch, etc.

Tuesday, August 14—The Lehigh Valley, March Chute, Seneca River, Glen Omoio, Wyoming Valley, Watkins Glen, Niagara Falls, the Thousand Islands, Alexandria Bay, the Rapids of the St. Lawrence, Montreal, and Lake Memphremagog.

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In addition to the above, parties will leave Boston, August 20, for the second grand tour through

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—AND FOR AN—

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE

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At Rockland, in the State of Maine, at the close of business, June 30th, 1888.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, \$166,764 76

Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 2 61

U. S. Bonds

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FACTS FOR THE PEOPLE!

The advent of the Celebrated Botanical Physician,
DR. A. D. BARTON,

Who for the past eighteen months has been permanently located at the Clinton House, Thomaston, has proved one of the most sanguine successes known to this locality for many years.

Over 200 patients have received treatment from this skillful practitioner, among whom are some of the most prominent people of Thomaston as well as many of the leading citizens of Rockland and the surrounding country.

The throngs which have crowded the parlors of the Clinton House the past year attest to the ability of the doctor to cope successfully with disease. All persons are aware that with the approach of spring especially after a long and tedious winter during which the appetite craves more or less animal food and fatty substances the system becomes deranged, the blood impure and the organs generally debilitated and fail to perform their proper duties. Now is the time to prepare your system for another year, invigorate the blood, tone up the organs and give new vigor to the life-sustaining organs of the body.

Are you sick or suffering, call at once and satisfy yourself of Dr. Barton's ability to render you relief. Dr. Barton's remedies all emanate from the vegetable kingdom which is the true principle of all remedies intended for the human family. Roots, herbs, barks and gums are the chief ingredients of his preparations, all of which, scientific in their combination, are powerful, yet harmless in producing proper results.

The great secret of Dr. Barton's success lies in his detecting and defining disease. In the earliest years of his life he was found to possess an intuitive power, a natural gift which enabled him to tell his patients their exact feelings, symptoms, etc., and in no case has he failed during his advent in this locality. His prices are within the reach of all. Are you in need of medical aid this spring, don't fail to try this opportunity. Ask your neighbor who has sought relief and by a personal call satisfy yourself of Dr. Barton's celebrated power of reading your case.

The Doctor has a Branch Office in Rockland,

where he will be found from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., daily, and the remainder of the time at the Clinton House, Thomaston. Patients will be treated at their own homes as far as office hours will permit.

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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.
Pursuant to a license from Hon. Judge of Probate for the county of Knox, I shall sell at public auction on the 18th day of August, 1888, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on the premises, all the right, title and interest which Sarah Jones, late of St. George, in said county, deceased, had in and to the following described real estate, to wit: A certain lot of land containing one-half acre with the building thereon, situate in St. George aforesaid and bounded as follows, to wit: On the north said lot and south by the land of Robert Long, and on the west by the town road leading from Town's Harbor toward the town house in said St. George.

Dated this 7th day of July, 1888.
ROBERT LONG, Adm.

A. M. AUSTIN,
Surgeon and Mechanical Dentist,
241 MAIN ST. ROCKLAND, ME.

Inherited Diseases.

In the realm of disease the facts of inheritance are most numerous and are daily accumulating. Here, alas, they become terrible, fearful and overwhelming. No fact of nature is more pregnant with awful meaning than the fact of the inheritance of disease. It meets the physician on his daily rounds, paralyzing his art and filling him with dismay. The legend of the ancient Greeks pictures the Furies as pursuing families from generation to generation, rendering them desolate. The Furies still ply their work of terror and death, but they are not now clothed in the garb of superstition, but appear in the more intelligible but no less fearful form of hereditary disease.

No-born science, which has illuminated so many dark corners of nature, has shed a new light on the ominous words of the Scriptures, "The sin of the fathers shall be visited upon the children unto the third and fourth generation." Instances of hereditary disease abound. Fifty per cent. of cases of consumption, that fearful destroyer of families, are inherited. Insanity is hereditary in a marked degree, but, fortunately, like many other hereditary diseases, tends to wear itself out, the stock becoming extinct. A distinguished scientist truly says: "No organ or texture of the body is exempt from the chance of being the subject of hereditary disease." Probably more chronic diseases, which permanently modify the structure and functions of the body, are more or less liable to be inherited. This important and far-reaching practical deduction from such facts—showing so powerfully the happiness of individuals and families and the collective welfare of the nation—was obvious to reflecting minds, and the best means for preventing or curing these diseases is a subject of intense interest to all. Fortunately nature has provided a remedy, which experience has attested as infallible, and the remedy is the world-famous Swift's Specific, a pure vegetable compound, nature's antidote for all blood poisons. To the afflicted it is a blessing of incalculable value. An interesting treatise on "Blood and Skin Diseases" will be mailed free by addressing

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To the Judge of Probate in and for the County of Knox.
The undersigned, Guardian of Alice C. Pillsbury, minor heir of M. M. Pillsbury, late of Rockland, in said County, deceased, represents that said minor is seized and possessed of certain real estate described as follows: All the interest of said ward in and to a certain lot of land situated on the east side of Water street, in said Rockland, opposite to the Henry Engine House together with the building thereon. That said minor is entitled to said real estate and the same has been made for the same by the Maine Rock Railroad Company of Rockland in said County, which offer it is for the interest of all concerned immediately to accept, the proceeds of sale to be placed at interest for the benefit of said ward, said Guardian therefore prays for license to sell and convey the above described real estate to the person making said offer.

(Signed) EMMA A. PILLSBURY.
KNOX COUNTY.—In Probate Court, held at Rockland, on the third Tuesday of June, 1888. On the petition aforesaid, ORDERED, That notice be given by publishing a copy of said petition with this order therein, three weeks successively, prior to the third Tuesday of July next, in the Courier-Gazette, a newspaper printed in Rockland, that all persons interested may attend at a Court of Probate then to be held at Rockland, and show cause, if any, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

E. M. WOOD, Judge.
A true copy of the petition and order thereon.
Attest.—A. A. BEATOR, Register.

AT RANDOM.

Chunks of News From Here, There and Everywhere Else.

Chicago has Anarchist and Socialistic Sunday Schools.

In Western Pennsylvania much damage is being done by swollen rivers.

There was a \$50,000 fire at New London, Conn., early Thursday morning.

Miss Frances E. Willard is writing a history of the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

Some sections of West Virginia, Indiana and Missouri have suffered severely recently from heavy storms.

Another locomotive engine has been arrested on suspicion of being mixed up in the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy plot.

The new Duchess of Marlboro arrived in London Monday afternoon. She was cordially received by her sister-in-law, Lady Randolph Churchill and other members of her husband's family.

The proposition to submit to the people of the several states a constitutional amendment to prohibit the liquor traffic in the United States was favorably reported to the Senate Tuesday by Senator Blair from the committee on education.

Mr. Powderly asks the laboring man not to buy a pound of coffee until the "corner" is broken, and after that to have his coffee analyzed to ascertain if it has been adulterated, and then trace the adulteration to its author. A difficult task to set before a man who is obliged to work every day to keep the wolf from the door.

Arrangements are nearly completed at Harvard College observatory for the total lunar eclipse of July 22. The phenomenon will in general be a repetition of that witnessed by substantially the whole population on January 28 last. One difference will be that the forthcoming eclipse takes place near midnight, while the former one was observable immediately after sunset when the moon rose partly eclipsed. Another difference for the expert observer will be that the apparent path of the moon will be in another part of the sky, bringing a different set of stars into occultation.

THAT RACE.

The True Story of the Result and the Names of the Four Winners.

There has been considerable confusion and misunderstanding concerning the race of the Rockland time fleet to New York. It was reported at first that the Commerce was the first to arrive there, and afterwards that the American Chief was the first. A reporter of the C.-G. saw Capt. Harris of the Commerce Thursday and got the facts of the case as follows:

Sch. Commerce, Harris, sailed from here Thursday at noon. Capt. Harris went to City Island and telegraphed for orders. Sch. American Chief, Snow, was at Throg's Neck when the Commerce left her anchor at City Island, so that if Capt. Snow had put into City Island he might have reported first, but the Chief according to her orders, kept on up to Rocker's Island.

Sch. Wide Awake, Wingfield, one of the early arrivals, put in an appearance at City Island two hours after the Commerce, and sch. Speedwell, Weed, towed by 14th street the next day, while the Commerce was discharging.

NEAR US.

* George D. Lincoln of Washington furnishes the lumber for the new block to be built at Searsmont.

* Pensions have been granted Joel C. Pierce, Liberty, Russell S. Tucker, Liberty, Albert Young, Navy, Camden, and Samuel S. Harding, Rockport.

* The neighbors and friends of D. Dodge, Montville, gathered at his place recently and put up the frame and nearly hoisted the barn, 10x40 feet, to replace that blown down a few weeks ago.

* The Methodists in the Maine Conference have decided to change the date of their camp meeting at Northport in order not to conflict with the Eastern Maine State Fair. They have accordingly fixed the date for commencing the meeting August 29th, instead of August 27th.

* Belfast journal: "There is a movement among our salmon fishermen to petition the next legislature for a bounty on seals with a view to their extermination. The seal is the greatest enemy of the salmon fishermen, as they not only destroy the fish after getting into the weirs, but by playing about the weirs frighten the fish away from them. The seal has little or no commercial value in this vicinity and no one would be injured by their extermination."

* Naples is the name of a new summer resort about to be started in Islesboro. A Massachusetts gentleman has bought of Austin Trim thirty acres of land on the West side of Islesboro, about one mile below Turtle Head. Last week H. P. Farrow, civil engineer, of Belmont, went over and laid out the land into blocks and streets. The site is a good one and we hope that Naples, (which overlooks the beautiful bay of Naples), will become a famous place of resort."

BASE BALL BITS.

Ray of the Bostons is keeping up his end in great shape.

Bert Knowlton has joined the Salems and is doing great work.

The Thomaston Herald says that the Rocklands went over to Thomaston with "six new players and some of them from out of town." They were all Rockland boys. The Thomastons played King, who was the only "out of town" player on either club.

The Thomastons went to Damariscotta, Wednesday, and played the team there, being defeated by a score of 13 to 5. The grounds were wretched, being altogether unfit for playing, and the game was consequently loose and uninteresting. Myler led the Thomastons in batting, getting two two-baggers. The Thomastons were very pleasantly treated and had a fine time.

TARIFF LITERATURE.

The demand for Protection literature is very great from all sections of New England. The Home Market Club will furnish such documents for all who apply. Officials of Republican Clubs, Republican Committees and others desiring such should address Herbert Radcliffe, Secretary, 30 Bedford street, Boston.

CAMDEN CULLINGS.

Summer guests are constantly arriving.

Rev. Frank A. Mansfield of New York is visiting his father Deacon E. D. Mansfield.

Miss Ella Hopkins of Searsport has been visiting at her grandmother's, Mrs. S. G. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Stillman Vilas of Chicago are visiting friends in Camden and are guests at the Cobb homestead.

George S. Cobb Post, G. A. R., were the recipients of a handsome and appropriate present recently. Just before the close of their regular meeting they were visited by the Ladies' Visiting Committee connected with the Post, who spread a fine collation in their banquet hall and before leaving presented the Post with a fine easy chair for the commander, upholstered in crimson plush.

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WARREN WHISPERINGS.

Orchard caterpillars are on deck.

E. S. Hodgman is home from school.

Kendall Wight has returned from Old Orchard Beach.

Edwin Tague is home from the Classical School, Waterville.

The lime business promises to be a great industry for Warren.

Rev. Mr. Green is greatly liked by the members of the Baptist congregation.

Joel Hills picked twelve bushels of strawberries off his place in one day.

Rev. A. G. Pettengill, formerly pastor of the Congregational church, has been visiting here.

L. E. Wade, our former popular station agent, is equally as popular in Rockland, where he occupies the same position.

WALDOBORO BITS.

We condense from the News: Mr. Daniels, of Boston, is here to-day in consultation with the local committee, in regard to locating the shoe factory.... Schooner James L. Malloy with white oak from Pamunkey river, Va., and schooner Satilla with hard pine from Darien, Ga., have arrived. Both cargoes are for Levitt Storck.... We hear much praise for Charles Keizer Post's appearance at Union, July 4th. The Post turned out thirty men under the command of Post Commander Eveleveth. Comrade D. H. Kimball, the old Fourth Maine Color Bearer, carried the Post's beautiful flag.... The boiler engine, retorts and other appliances for canning corn, berries, fruit, etc., are now being put into their factory by the Waldoboro Packing Company. Work will begin on corn about the first of September and continue five or six weeks, during which time it will require between forty and fifty hands to take care of the corn planted this season.

ALUM BAKING POWDER.

A List of Those Most Prominently Used.

The following are the names of some of the baking powders published by the public authorities as being made from alum:

Kenton,	Davis,
Silver Star,	S. & P.,
Forest City,	Henkle,
One Spoon,	No Plus Ultra,
Patapsco,	Enterprise,
Empire,	Can't Be Beat,
Gold,	Eureka,
Veteran,	International,
Cook's Favorite,	Puritan,
Sun Flower,	Albany Favorite,
Jersey,	Golden Sheaf,
Buckeye,	Burwell's Perfect State,
Peerless,	Silver King,
Crown,	Welcome,
Wheeler's,	Old Colony,
Carleton,	Crystal,
Gem,	Centennial,
Sciotto,	Genius,
Zipp's Grape Crystal,	Winsor,
Geo. Washington,	Sovereign,
Fleur de Lis,	Daisy,
Feather Weight,	

There are doubtless many other brands of alum baking powder besides those so far examined by the authorities. Most of the powders sold in bulk, by weight, and all sold with a gift or present, are said to be of this description.

Prof. Wiley, Chemist in Chief of the Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C., says: "The use of Alum in baking powders in large quantity, in place of other acid salts should be prohibited by law."

FRIENDSHIP FACTS.

Addison Wallace and brother are pushing work on their new house.

The Johnston House is opened and many summer visitors are arriving.

Sch. Wm. Keen, Simmons, has recently discharged goods here for our traders.

PERSONAL.

Mr. N. H. Frohlichstein, of Mobile, Ala., writes: I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, having used it for a severe attack of Bronchitis and Catarrh. It gave me instant relief and entirely cured me and I have not been afflicted since. I also beg to state that I have tried other remedies with no good result. Have also used Electric Bitters and Dr. King's New Life Pills, both of which I can recommend. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, is sold on a positive guarantee.

Trial bottle free at W. H. Kittredge, Drug Store.

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W. D. Hoyt & Co., Wholesale and Retail Druggists of Home Co., say: We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salve for four years. Have never handled remedies that sell as well, or give such universal satisfaction. There have been some wonderful cures effected by these medicines in this city. Several cases of pronounced Consumption have been entirely cured by use of a few bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitters. We guarantee them always. Sold by W. H. Kittredge.

MARINE MENTIONINGS.

Steamer Delaware, from New York, while approaching her wharf at Fernandina, ran into sch. Helen Montague of this port disabling the Montague and also damaging sch. John R. Halliday, latter from New York. The Montague was paid \$800 for damages received.

Sch. Ira Wright, Shaw, arrived Thursday from Boston, where she discharged cement from Rondout.

Sch. Isabel Alberto, Hale, arrived Wednesday from Saco where she discharged coal from Philadelphia.

Tinknor's paper series begins July with a dainty novel by Helen Dawes Brown, entitled "Two College Girls," a sort of "Tom Brown at Oxford," with young ladies as the collegians, full of pranks and adventures. It is a vivacious and highly amusing picture of these pretty and fascinating seniors and sophomores, the scene being laid in one of the great Eastern colleges for women (some say at Vassar). It is rich in beautiful passages of tender pathos, strong, simple, and vivid, and full of sustaining interest. Nothing has been published since "Little Women" that will so strike the public taste. The action takes place in one of the leading American colleges for women, and although no definite localities are mentioned, the scene will be easily recognized.

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By Robinson of Hudson, Mass., is visiting in town.
Charles Robbins of Boston is registered at the Knox House.
Miss Clara May Creighton is at home from Waltham, Mass.
Mrs. Wm. A. Metcalf has returned from a visit to Torrington, Conn.
Miss Mabel Barstow of Boston is at the house of Capt. John N. Brown.
The mother of Col. C. A. Leighton from Waterville is on a visit to her son.
The band gives an outdoor concert in front of the Clinton House this evening.
Henry Dennis and wife of Portland are guests of William Flint and family.
Tillie B. Burgess of Brooklyn, N. Y., is at the house of Capt. Caleb Levensaler.
Charles Hinkley of Boston is at the house of Mrs. Eliza O'Brien, West Main street.
John Burgess and wife of East Boston are guests of Capt. W. C. Burgess and family.
Mrs. Mary Fales and daughters Laura and Susan of Boston are visiting their old home.
Miss Nina Strong has returned after a number of months absence in Massachusetts.
Mrs. Harris Condes and children of Boston are at the house of D. J. Starrett, Mill River.
Will Colley and wife of Bath are at the house of Mrs. Mary Colley, West Main street.

Warden Bean of the Maine State Prison is attending the National Prison Association in Boston.

Will King of Sandwich, Mass., who plays on the Thomaston nine, is a student of Miss Alida Meban.

Capt. Orris H. Fales of ship St. John is at the house of his mother, Mrs. Lucinda Fales, East Main street.

Mrs. Martha Spear and daughter Kate of Waltham, Mass., are at the house of Capt. Oliver, Oyster River.

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E. D. Daniels has his machines in place and will start up his shirt factory this week. He has some good orders for work to begin with.

Miss Isadore Robinson, Mrs. J. W. Davis and children, and Miss Caroline D. Robinson are at the Edward Robinson homestead, East Main street, for the summer.

Prof. Sidney H. Metcalf, who has been absent in Monroe, Wis., the past five years teaching vocal and instrumental music, is visiting his native town. Maurice A. Metcalf, of Boston, is also visiting his old home.

BOARD OF TRADE.—The citizens of Thomaston are aware that some business enterprise is needed in order to keep pace with the times, and establish some new industries to take the place of those already gone. For this purpose an adjourned meeting was held in Union Hall, Friday evening last, to organize a Board of Trade. A code of by-laws was adopted to govern the organization, and in conformity with them a board of officers chosen, which we publish below. It was voted that the executive committee (of which the president is chairman) procure a suitable room in which to hold the meetings of the board: President, J. H. H. Hewitt; 1st Vice President, E. L. Dillingham; 2d Vice President, B. W. Cousin; Secretary, C. S. Smith; Treasurer, Wm. E. Vinal; Committee on Finance, John C. Levensaler, Edward Ellis O'Brien, F. H. Jordan, E. A. Robinson, Harvey Mills; Committee on Manufactures, W. H. Hatch, E. K. O'Brien, T. S. Andrews, J. A. Creighton, O. E. Copeland; Committee on Real Estate and Public Improvements, J. E. Moore, O. M. Vinal, H. C. Levensaler, J. T. Beverage, P. M. Studley, A. C. Strout, Wm. Andrews; Committee on Railroad and Steamboat Transportation, Atwood Levensaler, T. W. Stockpole, J. S. Lindeken, E. P. Washburn, J. E. Walker; Committee on Shipping Interest, N. C. Mehan, C. H. Washburn, T. W. Dunn; Committee on Arbitration and Reception, T. A. Carr, C. Prince, A. P. Piper, E. M. O'Brien, D. P. Rose.

NORTH APPLETON.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Grezory of South Camden are visiting at A. Wentworth's.

Mrs. Abbie Smith and son Charles of Haverhill, Mass., arrived Monday. They will spend the summer with Mrs. Smith's brother, James A. Wentworth.

Will Meservy, our former stage driver, who has been studying for the ministry with the Rev. Mr. Stimpson of Seabrook, preached in the church Sunday. A Sabbath School was organized and the following officers appointed: Supt., Will Meservy; Asst. Supt., Mrs. Albert Waterman; Treas., Mrs. Willbur Waterman.

Saturday evening, while returning from a Masonic meeting at Seabrook, Dan'l. F. Wentworth, oldest son of A. H. Wentworth, esp., was taken suddenly ill. His illness proved to be insanity and Thursday he was taken to the Insane Asylum at Augusta. He was a young man much respected in the community and his parents have the sympathy of their friends and neighbors.

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Frank Harrington is learning to cut stone.

Miss Annie Chadwick passed Sunday in Ellsworth.

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When is our gun club to try the Oak Hill Club of Rockland?

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Evelyn Bickmore and Leonard Tripp have returned from camp at Pleasant Beach.

Willard Sleeper and bride are housekeeping in a part of the Oliver Sweetland house.

W. J. Thayer has completed his job at Augusta and has returned.

Harvey Sleeper and sister Ethel of Boston are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Mary W. Martin.

The granite business seems brisk.

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Miss Fannie Ames, who has just closed an engagement of teaching in the Oakland High School, has given the best of satisfaction and is wanted again there. She is an excellent teacher.

OWLE'S HEAD.

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Miss Annie Tooker is giving music lessons in this place.

Anthony Dyer is marketing some very fine strawberries.

Sch. Billow, Emery, from Richmond, Va., arrived here Sunday night.

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Sch. Rita Stimpson is on the ways being thoroughly repaired. She had to be replanked, chum plates repaired, etc.

Among the arrivals at Capt. Samuel Tinsell's last week are Joseph Burnham and wife of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Stone, Mr. Harry Stone and wife of Kansas, and Wm. Stone and wife of Portland.

There was a large gathering Thursday evening at F. O. Martin's hall. The entertainment was given up by the friends of Isaac Barter, who is blind, to raise funds to assist him to treatment by an oculist in Boston, who claims he can cure him. There was a fine time during the evening and some \$36 was raised.

ROCKVILLE.

A. Ross has repaired and fitted up his residence in good style.

Mrs. Sarah Fish has returned to her brother's, Benj. Brewster's.

Osmond Blake has so far recovered his health as to be removed to his home.

Mr. Broadstreet and family have moved into the brick house near Chelkewaukie Lake.

Mrs. J. M. Clement is quite out of health, having received a slight shock of paralysis.

School in district No. 6 gave a picnic the last day of school and had a very pleasant time. Miss Hattie Burkett was teacher and a very good one.

NORTH WASHINGTON.

F. S. Collins and family of Waldoboro visited friends in this place last week.

Miss Alice A. Skinner is spending a few days this week with her aunt, Miss S. E. Collins at the Hall.

Leander Howard, wife and daughter of Rockland visited friends in this town and Palermo recently.

The meetings in the grove at the head of Pleasant Pond continue with unabated interest and the attendance is good.

Mrs. Geo. Clark, whose death was announced last week, was a lady much esteemed by all who knew her, and the family have the sympathy of the entire community in this hour of sorrow.

F. C. and W. A. Coolidge of Cohasset, Mass., visited friends in town last week. Your scribbler undertook to show them the trout brooks in Washington and Somerville. The guests were very much pleased with Knox Co.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Skinner and John Gilden attended prolate court in Rockland this week, as witnesses to the will of the late Samuel A. Cunningham of this town. L. T. Marcell, one of our best business men, is named executor.

MAINE MATTERS.

The Visiting Committee of the Insane Hospital found 310 male and 276 female patients there on their last visit.

Alvin Hunsnewell of Norridgewock has been arrested, charged with attempting to poison his wife and members of her family.

The heavy storm of Wednesday night caused great damage all over the state, many buildings being struck by lightning and burned.

William B. Nichols left Augusta on Wednesday night for Leavenworth, Kan., where he will become cashier of the Manufacturers' National Bank.

The New Oak Grove Seminary building at Vassalboro is fast approaching completion. The building is larger and better than ever, and commands a fine prospect.

Joseph W., aged about eighteen, the only child of Hon. Edmund Madigan, of Presque Isle,

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Union has furnished a striking example in honoring her soldier heroes with a fine monument and we hope to see her example followed by other Knox county towns.

The George's Valley Railroad interest is not dead. You'll hear from the promoters of that road after haying, and the noise they'll make will be heard even above the din of politics.

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Said a Rockland man the other day, and truly: "We have a nice, friendly, united class of people here in Rockland. Just about so often we have a little political fight, but it's soon over and all over, and everything is pleasant again."

A chemical fibre mill would be a good industry for Rockland. W. V. Wentworth, a Rockland boy who is superintendent of a big chemical fibre mill in Ticonderoga, N. Y., says that Rockland has many advantages for such a business, and that it's a very profitable industry.

It is always with pleasure that we note the invariable success of Knox County boys, and we lose no opportunity to do so. This week we have to record the successful graduation of the Richmond, Me., High School of which Randall J. Condon of Friendship is principal. The exercises were considered by all odds the best ever held in Richmond.

A BIG CRAFT

That Waldoboro is to Add to Our Merchant Marine.

Our readers have heard enough about the large center-board schooner building at Waldoboro to be interested in the following description: She is the largest center-board schooner ever built. Her length of keel is 225 feet, her breadth is 50 feet, depth of hold 21 feet, and her measurement will be 1800 tons. She will have five masts, of Oregon pine, and her foremast, mainmast, mizzenmast, spanker and jigger will be each 115 feet in length, while the topmasts will be each 55 feet. The diameter of the top of her masts at the cap will be 22 inches. There will be used in her construction 450 tons of white oak from Virginia, 800,000 feet hard pine from Georgia, and 175 to 200 tons of iron. She will have two anchors which will each weigh nearly 6000 pounds, and 180 fathoms of 2 1/4 inch chain weighing 60,000 pounds. Her outboard planking will be 6 inches thick from keel to top, and her inside ceiling will be from 10 to 14 inches in thickness. She will have two full decks running the entire length of the vessel and nine hatches. She will have five jibs, and 7000 yards of canvas will be used. She will be launched in October. There will soon be employed in the yard from 100 to 150 men who will push her along to completion as soon as possible. Her owners are Governor Ames of Massachusetts, Oakes A. Ames, Fred L. Ames and W. T. Hart of Boston, Hon. Frank S. Stevens of Swansea, Capt. J. F. Davis and Capt. C. A. Davis, who will command her, all of Massachusetts, and others. She will run in the coal trade between Baltimore and Providence for William H. Jordan of Worcester, Massachusetts, who is one of the largest coal dealers in New England. This great craft will have all the modern improvements in handling sail, anchors and cargo, and will carry a small crew in proportion to her size.

A WAR SONG.

THOMASTON, July 12.

MR. EDITOR.—The Thomaston Herald gives its readers in its last paper a "Democratic War Song" the refrain of which is:

Oh blow your nose on the American flag—Hurrah for the red bandanna!

But we hardly think that he would have published those lines had he seen the following verses:

Caution "blue noses," it is easily shown,
(Oh the American flag, can safely be blown,
And this is what we're blown by our banner;
Oh blow your nose on the American flag—
Hurrah for the red bandanna!

And we'll blow our nose on Civil Reform,
On an honest vote, on American labor,
For all those we have on our banner,
So blow your nose on the American flag—
And Hurrah for the red bandanna!

HORSE HAIRS.

A Well Known Professional Man Who Has Fine Equine Stock.

What horseman in this section has not heard of the Clough horse (pronounced Cluff) so many scions of whom are to be found in Knox and Waldo counties. The Clough horse was owned by Dr. J. W. Clough of Liberty, whence the name. Dr. Clough raised Young Duke, or the Clough horse as he is better known, kept him nine or ten years and sold him to Winfield Charles of Appleton, who now owns him. He was foaled in 1874, making him 14 years old at the present time. He was sired by Duke of Perche, dam by Sipe's Samson, he by Imported Samson, grand-dam a Morgan mare.

Dr. Clough is an enthusiast in the matter of horses, and always has a string of valuable animals in his stables. Noticeable among his horses at present is the handsome stallion Denie Lambert. Denie stands 19 hands high and weighs 1300 pounds. His color is a beautiful bay, with a fine glossy coat as changeable in the sun as varied silk, with a golden tinge. Has a heavy black mane and tail; is very stylish, perfectly kind, and a free and cheerful driver. He was sired by Young Duke, he by Imported Duke of Perche dam Daley, by Daniel Lambert, he by old Ethan Allen. The dam of Daniel Lambert was Fannie Cook, she by Abdullah, sire of Rysdyk's Hambletonian. The grand dam of Denie Lambert on sire's side was a Morgan mare, on mother's side a thoroughbred English. Thus it will be seen that in him are combined four of the best bloods in America. He was foaled in 1882.

The first colt ever got by Denie Lambert is owned by Dr. Clough, Kitty Lambert by name. She is a 2-year-old and very stylish, standing 15 1/2 hands and weighing 1000 pounds. Her dam is of Drew-Knox blood. She is well broken and clever, and shows the good points of her sire. Dr. Clough has also a stylish driving horse by Tilton's Constellation. It is a 5-year-old gelding standing 15 1/2 hands and weighing 1050 pounds. He is a good stepper, but has never been worked for speed.

A fine 2-year-old filly after the stallion, out of a Knox mare, is a handsome piece of horse stock. Dr. Clough also has a 4-year-old (Gid-con mare, considered a very valuable animal. The mare is proud of a promising 5-weeks old colt after Denie Lambert. The colt resembles the sire greatly. Dr. Clough has as handsome a stable of horse stock as one often sees, and horsemen would do well to drive over to Liberty village and look his stable over.

B. Turner of Liberty has an extra fine stallion. He is of Smuggler blood, a beautiful velvety bay, stands 19 hands, weighs 1000 and is three years old. He is a beauty and we prophesy that he will make his mark in the stud and on the turf.

The old white family horse of the late Gov. Bodwell, so familiar to the people of Mr. Bodwell's old home, is the property of Dr. Clough. Lady Bodwell, as she is called, has fallen into pleasant quarters.

Y. W. C. T. U.

An Organization Which is Doing Good in This City.

At the meeting of the W. C. T. U. ladies of Knox County in this city a few weeks ago a branch of the Y. W. C. T. U. was organized. These initials stand for the Young Woman's Christian Temperance Union. This by no means an insignificant affair, neither is its membership confined to a few fanatics and the working classes, but in some of our larger cities the cream of the young ladyhood is taking the disagreeable edge off the subject of temperance by making the "Y's" a popular institution; and there is a fair prospect that under the direction of lovely hands temperance may yet become fashionable.

In one of our western cities, a "Y" has among its active members the daughter of the president of a big railroad, and her beautiful carriage and obsequious footman are consecrated to this work.

In northern New York Miss Clothier lectured three evenings, and on the fourth evening organized a "Y" with eighty young lady members and twenty young gentlemen sent in their names with the message that they didn't intend the girls should get ahead of them.

The Boston "Y" numbers among its members many young ladies of fashion and they manage to "consecrate even the German," as Mrs. Whitney says in her Leslie Goldthwaite. Each state has adopted a floral emblem and Massachusetts has chosen the pansy. Last year and this also the "sweet girl graduates," belonging to this organization resolved to show their colors on Commencement week. Each tan was hand-painted with pansies and the letters Y. W. C. T. U. appeared in conspicuous places. At all the receptions and occasions of the week the temperance fans and white ribbons were prominent. A young lady who graduated from the Boston School of Expression last month said to Miss Clothier, "I didn't think I'd put much money into my fan, but I've changed my mind. It's going to preach temperance and it shall be handsome."

Another young lady, a society belle, said to Miss Clothier, "I am going to have my white summer dresses trimmed with white ribbons and Y. W. C. T. U. shall be under the pansies." Another way these ingenious girls manage when they go to places where it would be considered in bad taste to broach the temperance subject, is to wear a neck or button-hole ribbon with the state flower and mysterious letters painted or embroidered on it. These provoke curiosity and a quizzical question opens the way for the bright girl to express her sentiments and excite a discussion on the otherwise tabooed topic. When the white ribbon becomes fashionable, it won't require so much courage to wear it. The young ladies of Massachusetts and Rhode Island are in arms against the liquor traffic, and Maine is not entirely behind hand, although less enthusiastic. Our own city has its quiet little band of workers.

Kiss me darling, for your breath is
Just as sweet as new-mown hay;
Kiss me, darling, for your teeth are
Free from tartar or decay;
Kiss me, darling, for you won't
Forget me or your SOZODONT.

The Atmosphere of Love.
Is a pure, sweet breath. This desideratum is one of the results of using SOZODONT, which not only invigorates and preserves the teeth but renders the mouth as fragrant as a rose.

SPALDING'S GLEK will mend anything but a broken heart.

THE TRAMP.



HE KEPT STILL.

A story is told of a Republican official at Washington, who notwithstanding the active working of the party ax continues to hold his office. He had been a very active and outspoken Republican. A friend came across him in his department at Washington. "What, you here still?" queried the friend. "Yes, and d—n still, too," was the answer.

TOOK HIS ALE.

A well-known young Thomaston lady on a recent trip on one of the Sound boats got into a rather embarrassing position. She was at table, and was asked to pass the vinegar. She reached for the vinegar bottle as she supposed, when a rough and surly looking man opposite asked her what she was trying to do with his ale.

ARAL.

A Horse With A Record—Bred in Knox County.

The following is copied from the well-known stock paper, Spirit of the Hub: "Aral began life in North Haven, an island in Penobscot bay; and like his sire, has seen some of the ups and downs of life. He has been productive in the stud, and from seven mares in his island home he got eight colts. Last year he begot twins from Will Carleton's mare, Woolwich, Me. He has hauled grocery wagon, and did menial service on a farm and then later in the season, without good conditioning and poorly handled, he paced a half mile in 1.04, going by a very fast field at such a marvellous rate as to cause exclamations of unbounded surprise from a hundred spectators. This occurred at Mystic Park, October 26, and was the most interesting and excitable race of '87. Aral got away last and slow in a race with such fast ones as Frederick, Joe Howe, Illusion, Allen Maid, Brightwood, and T. L. D. Frederick led from the start. At the turn Aral had lapped the rear horse before him, and then, as though he were an electric motor, passed by them all and well out on the grass. At the quarter post only one, Frederick, remained in front, and in three rods he was lapped. Then, like a double team these two grey pacers went to the half, not a ray of daylight between them. Competent men caught Aral's time, and announced it then and there 1.04 to the half. The rate was terrific, and it showed what he was capable of doing when properly driven. In September, direct from the farm, after getting in the last load of salt hay, he was taken to Lewiston, and over that half-mile track he went a mile in 2.22 1/2, a half in 1.07. He is now owned by C. H. Hindley of Stoneham, Mass.

YACHT NOTES.

Gen. Butler sailed Wednesday on the America for his annual cruise.

Yacht Ambassador has been coasting along the Maine shore. She was in Belfast Harbor last week.

Rockland should have a regatta this summer and there is a possibility that we may. The Monhegan, Yokohama, Restless and the rest could make fine sport, while Vinalhaven could send off some flyers to make things exciting.

The annual cruise of the Eastern Yacht Club began Saturday. Commodore Weld has issued an order requesting all yachts which are to participate to report in Marblehead Harbor. It is understood that the destination will be Bar Harbor. The yachts Ambassador, Mohican, Wanderer, Foam, Volunteer, Puritan, Alert, Baboon, Xara and Adrienne will be among the fleet. This is the first trip yet made by either the Puritan or Volunteer in eastern waters, and they will no doubt create considerable interest among those who have never seen them. The cruise will probably end on the day following their arrival at Bar Harbor, after which the yachts will return home, and those which intend entering for the Golet cup will be hauled out and put in order for the race. The cruise is merely for pleasure, and Commodore Weld says that there will be no racing. Rockland will probably have an opportunity to see the Volunteer and her companions.

BRIEFLETS.

Congressman Randall is critically ill.

The New England Chautauqua meeting at Framingham, Mass., was opened Tuesday evening.

It is reported that the rival cable lines have agreed to advance rates to 25 cents per word.

The fact that there have been nine murders in Maine since New Year's is arousing a feeling of alarm.

Railway lines centering in New York have agreed to make special rates for clubs or organizations that wish to participate in the welcome to Mr. Blaine on the 27th.

The United States steamer Swatara arrived at Brooklyn Navy Yard from Nonquilt Tuesday. The gossip aboard is that though General Sheridan is comparatively comfortable in his new quarters he can be expected to live but a short time.

MULTUM IN PARVO.

We have just received from A. J. Johnson & Co., Great Jones Street, New York city, a set of encyclopedias, in two volumes. The books are handsomely bound, and are peculiarly well fitted for office use. The print is plain and legible, and the information given is reliable.

IN HEATHEN LANDS.

A Letter From Far Away Burma—A Warren Lady in Heathendom—Welcome Guests—Hot Weather—A Celebrated Pagoda.

Mrs. B. F. Turner, a former Warren girl, writes us the following letter from Rangoon, Burma. Mrs. Turner is the wife of Rev. B. F. Turner, a graduate of Colby University, class of '84, and later of Newton Theological School. Mrs. Turner is connected with the Kemendine School for girls. We hope to hear from her again. The letter is dated April 19th: "They had crossed oceans and seas; they had come from the snow-clad hills of New England (for it was in the month of February when they left America.) Now they have reached their journey's end. I tore off the paper wrappers and lo! they were a Maine Farmer and a Rockland Courier-Gazette, a state and county newspaper. Sitting by the open window, to get if possible a breath of fresh air after the burning heat of the day, I looked over the pages of those dear home papers. I think it was well worth the while to send them on their long journey to Burma for they brought to my mind many of the dear home faces and scenes. How I enjoy anything that comes from the home land! I never realized how dear to my heart were even our state and county newspapers until I came to this foreign land.

"The thermometer registers over 100 every day right here in our sitting room, and has done so for the last month. Yes, it is warm here! April is our warmest month. I should enjoy a little New England snow and ice. The heat during the day is intense, and the dust and glare of the sun are very trying to the eyes. We are looking forward to the rainy season as eagerly as we ever looked forward to the summer after a long cold winter in New England. We did not come to Burma, however, because we expected to enjoy the climate, but because our Master has said: 'Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature.' The work is great and the laborers are few. Pray for us my friends that we may have strength for this new and difficult work to which we have come. We are in the midst of heathenism. I can look out of my window and see crowds of people on their way to the celebrated Shway Da Gone pagoda. Three journeys to Shway Da Gone entitles a Burman to annihilation, the highest state of happiness that a Burman expects to enjoy in the next world. The Burman mother, miles away in the jungle, takes her child in her arms and travels many weary miles that she may bring her little one to see Shway Da Gone. Do you wonder that our hearts are sad as we think of these people? That we long to acquire the language that we may tell to them the 'old, old story of Jesus and his love'?"

"I wish I had time to tell you more about the country and the people. Perhaps if this letter does not find its way into the editor's waste basket, I will at some future day tell you more about Burma, her people and their customs."



Terrible -- Slaughter

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